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Austria Sends Troops to France

Bulgars Routed, Burn Stores

SERBIANS CLING TO HEELS OF FOE KILLING LARGE NUMBERS IN GAIN OF MORE THAN 12 MILES

LONDON, September 19. — The Bulgarians are in flight in Macedonia and are burning stores and villages, according to a Serbian official statement received here.

The allied troops have advanced more than 12 miles and their progress is so rapid that they have not been able to count the prisoners and war material taken. New regiments thrown in by the Bulgarians have been forced to retreat with the others.

The Bulgarians have been defeated completely and the Serbian troops are pursuing them day and night.

The Serbian and French troops have taken the towns of Topolcetz, Potshiarta, Beshista, Melynitsa, Vitolishta and Rasimbey. They have also taken the heights of Kuchkov Kamem.

AUSTRIANS TO HELP KAISER

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE LARRAINS FRONT, September 18 (night.)—Captured officers assert that seventeen Austro-Hungarian divisions are mobilized along the French front. Most of them are not yet ready to be used, the prisoners state, but are being put through a rigorous training in Alsace Larraine, where they are building a third line of defense works behind the Hindenburg line.

Captured officers of high rank express little confidence in the ability of the Germans to defend the Hindenburg line. They intimate that fresh, dashing troops like the Americans, with plenty of tanks, are able to smash any defense position ever constructed.

The Germans used hundreds of dummy guns in the St. Mihiel salient, emplaced along the Meuse heights, from the southeast of which real enemy guns bombarded the French rear during the Verdun fighting.

Civilians at vignueiles declare that German carpenters, reinforced by Swiss toymakers at high wages, made the artificial guns from logs turned out at a nearby lumber mill. The timber came from the Montagne forests.

AUDITORIUM COMMITTEE WILL SECURE FUNDS FOR LAND

The auditorium committee met yesterday evening at the East Bay Water company office and completed all details for their campaign to raise $4800 for the purchase of the land between Ninth and Tenth streets and Nevin avenue. The idea is to make the first payment on the land in order to tie it up at the prices which have been obtained from the owners by the committee and afterward the city will take care of the remainder of the purchase price and the construction of a suitable building thereon for holding mass meetings, conventions and other civic meetings.

For many years Richmond has been sadly in need of a building of this character and a plot of ground that can be improved as a sort of park or playground—and this is the opportunity. Options have been obtained on all the lots from the different owners and it will be but a small matter for the people, if they will go at the task with a hearty will, to close the matter up and secure for the city this valuable property.

Already the committee has secured several hundred dollars of the money needed and the committee will get active from this time on to get together the balance of the amount needed. The committee desires it to be understood that there is no "rakeoff" in this for anybody, but the matter is being handled for the city freely and without compensation by everybody concerned.

SALVATION ARMY TAG DAY PROMISSES SUCCESS

Tag Day for the Salvation Army today will turn out to be a gratifying success, judging from the red pieces of cardboard which are worn by the people one meets on the streets and the reports turned in by the ladies who are letting no opportunity pass to sell one of the bits of red board to each and every passerby.

Richmond expects to sell $1772 worth of these bits of scrap paper today to meet its quota for the Salvation Army drive which has been neglected for some weeks on account of other more pressing affairs, but she is going to come up to the scratch now and that, too, within the shortest possible space of time with the full amount due these noble men and women who are taking care of our boys on the fighting front in France.

The ladies have placed a valuation of 25 cents on each of the red bits of cardboard, but they are not refusing larger sums when it is offered. In some instances they get half dollars and dollars for tags and sometimes more, but the prevailing price is 25 cents.

ITALIANS BREAK UP ATTACKS BY AUSTRIANS

LONDON, September 19.—Persistent thrusts by the Austrians in the Seren Valley, on the northern Italian front, were repulsed on Monday night by the Italians, according to an official Italian wireless message received here. At one point, however, the message says, the Italians were forced to make a slight withdrawal of one of their posts. Italian reconnoitering patrols have captured an enemy post in the Gabena Valley.

AMERICAN ACE SHOT DOWN BY BOCHE PLANES IN AIR FIGHT

AMERICAN ACE

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LORRAINE, September 19 (9 a. m.).—American heavy artillery has set fire to a factory in the German fortified city of Metz. American aviators reported, it was learned today, that they witnessed American shells bursting in the city and saw a fire break out in a factory following the explosion of a shell. The American heavies have been pounding the German rear positions steadily. Every German concentration [illegible] under their range. The Metz region has been getting the most attention, but all fortified positions have been hit.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE LORRAINE FRONT, September 19.—First Lieutenant David E. Putnam of Newton, Mass., American ace of aces, was killed late Wednesday afternoon while on patrol along the American lines.

Lieutenant Putnam was flying with Lieutenant Wendella Robertson of Fort Smith, Ark., when they were attacked by seven German machines. Four of these made for Putnam's airplane and three attacked Robertson's. The attack was sudden and unexpected and the enemy was able to fire from above.

Lieutenant Putnam was shot twice through the heart. His machine glided to the earth at Limey, within the American lines, where he was found by his comrades. Lieutenant Robertson returned safely.

Lieutenant David E. Putnam, a descendant of General Israel Putnam, was credited with twelve aerial victories. He enlisted with the Lafayette flying squadron and brought down his first enemy January 19, 1918. He was awarded the French War Cross March 23, after having won five victories in the air. He was later decorated with the military medal by the French government.

Lieutenant Putnam was transferred to the American Aerial Corps as first lieutenant early in June. His achievement June 10 of bringing down five German airplanes in one day has been eclipsed only once during the war. Aviator Rene Fonck of the French army having destroyed six machines in one day. Lieutenant Putnam's latest aerial victory was reported September 2.

JURY VIEWED THE BODY OF SLAIN MAN

MARTINEZ, September 19.—A jury to view the remains and determine the cause of death of the late Ramondo Uconnotti, killed in Antioch Sunday night and with whose death Al. Ross of Antioch is alleged to be responsible, was summoned Wednesday afternoon by Coroner Bert Curry. The inquest will be held in Martinez the latter part of the week.

Ross remains in jail here charged with murder and without bail, pending the finding of the Coroner's inquest and preliminary examination to be held next week.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION HOLDS MEETING IN METROPLIS

The Richmond Industrial Commission held its first meeting today after the summer vacation at Julo's Cafe in San Francisco and a representative crowd of Richmond boosters were present. The members had luncheon and talked over industrial conditions and the outlook for the future, which they considered remarkably bright after the end of the war.

Just at the present time war duties are demanding the most of the attention of the members of the Richmond Industrial Commission. Many of them reside in Richmond and are devoting their time and resources to the work of helping Uncle Sam win the war, so they have not a great deal of leisure for other work. But a revival of business is coming and they are going to be prepared to make the most of the opportunities for this city when it comes. In the meantime they are laying their plans and are keeping in touch with the great manufacturing interests in the East, so that when the war stops their work of promotion can be taken up and handled easily and rapidly.

The next meeting of the Industrial Commission will be held in Richmond, when a luncheon will be held at some one of our hotels. The members of the organization are all urged to buy Liberty Bonds to the extent of their resources and to buy them in Richmond, so that this city will receive the credit due it. Also it was urged that every minute of time given to war work is just that much toward gaining ultimate victory.

HUNS WANT TO SURRENDER IF ASSURED OF SAFETY

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE VESLE, September 18.—A German prisoner captured recently suggested to his captors that they send a note from him to German soldiers, by airplane or otherwise, explaining that the report that Americans kill German prisoners is untrue. He said that many Germans would surrender if they were assured that Americans do not kill their prisoners as the Germans have been led to believe by their officers.

An appeal written in English calling upon Americans of German ancestry to join the forces of Germany has been dropped behind the American lines by enemy aviators. It has also been sent into the American lines by means of small balloons. This appeal asserts that in Germany the Americans would find liberty and more opportunity for advancement than in the United States. It attacks President Wilson, asserting that he is more English than American. Germany is pictured as one poor little nation defending herself against the vicious attacks of the armies of the whole world.

WOMEN RESPOND TO RED CROSS HELP CALL

Yesterday all the rooms of the Red Cross were comfortably filled with lady workers and the hearts of the managers of the local chapter were filled with pride, for it is good to see the work so badly needed by our boys in the hospitals "over there" being turned out with dispatch.

But there is much to do and the more help obtained the easier will be the task. Every lady in Richmond should turn out for at least one day each week and, if possible, she should come oftener and maybe after all the heroes in France are decorated with the war cross, some of the heroines at home will receive some sort of recognition for the valiant services they have performed in the back line trenches in providing hospital supplies and other necessary articles to preserve the lives of the boys after they are wounded in battle and without which wars could not be fought, nor could victories be gained.

LAUNDRYMEN TO COLLECT FOR WORK WHEN DELIVERED

We are hating Kaiser Bill more and more and more all the time.

Owing to the war, the scarcity of labor, increased expense for all the materials used, the laundrymen of this city and the district surrounding San Francisco Bay, have decided to put their business on a cash basis—that is to say laundry packages will be collected for at the time of delivery and in no case will this practice be deviated from.

It costs the average business man fully ten per cent to collect current bills where a credit business is done. If you could get your money the first time you called at the first of the month, the cost of collection would not amount to ten per cent, but often you are told time after time to call again and every time you call it costs the creditor additional money. This applies especially to laundrymen and while their prices have been raised a little since the beginning of the war, the advance has not been as great as the increase in the price of labor and all the materials which they use in washing the clothes. They are compelled to pay their salaries every week and their washing materials are paid upon delivery and there seems to be no reason why they should not collect for their work when it is delivered.

After all, that is the best and cheapest way to do business and will be to the advantage of the patrons of the laundries in the long run. Pay as you go is the proper way to do business and the only way, after you once become accustomed to it.

OTTO MUELLER IS IN FRESNO JAIL ON CHARGE OF SEDITION

According to a telegram received in this city yesterday from government officials, Otto Mueller, former hardware merchant here and still owning residence property in this city, is in jail in Fresno. He was given a hearing some time ago on a sedition charge and held in bonds of $10,000. Probably he will be placed in a detention camp until after the war, if a more drastic fate is not awaiting him before the government gets through with him.

Mueller was a most erratic individual and did much loud talking about the war and in favor of Germany up to the time of the United States declaring war against the Huns. He told all sorts of stories regarding himself and at one time flaunted a glaring banner in front of his place stating that the fatherland had called him and he would be compelled to close out his stock of goods so that he could go back to Germany to take his place as a lieutenant in the Kaiser's fighting forces.

Later, after America declared her intentions of whipping Germany, Otto quieted down somewhat and told newspapermen that he had been a loyal American citizen all the time and that his former expressions were merely "bunk" and intended to make the people think he really wanted to dispose of his goods. He said he had taken out his naturalization papers many years ago and expected to enter the United States army.

Then he disappeared and nothing was heard of him for a long time, until a dispatch came through from Fresno that he had been arrested for seditious utterances. The best place for men of his ilk is in jail, for he is a dangerous man to be at large while the nation is at war with his country.

PARIS, September 19.—The emergency divisions of the Y. M. C. A. is keeping in close touch with the combat troops in the St. Mihiel sector, where several hundred secretaries are working night and day.

Dr. Oscar Lambert of Oakdale, Cal., and Harry Rodgers of St. Louis kept a machine gun company on the firing line supplied with hot choco-

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HAIG GAINING IN BIG SMASH TOWARD HUN STRONGHOLD

LONDON, September 19 (10:40 a. m.)—The British havet captured more than 10,000 prisoners in their latest drive against the German strongholds between Cambrai and St. Quentin. The passing of the Hindenburg line by British forces at Essigny and Bellicourt (midway along the Cambrai-St. Quentin road) opens the way for a double outflanking movement against both St. Quentin and Cambrai.

LONDON, September 19. — The British last night made further progress in their drive into the Hindenburg line in the St. Quentin region, aimed at the encirclement of that town, according to Field Marshal Haig's official statement today. In a continued advance north of Pontruet they reached the outpost positions of the Hindenburg line.

The Australians renewed their attacks and carried the Hindenburg outposts. Many prisoners and a number of machine guns were taken by them.

The town of Lempire was captured as was Gauche wood. (Lempire is four miles directly west of Le Catele.)

The Germans late yesterday started a heavy bombardment on the northern part of the battle front southwest of Cambrai, between Gouzeautcourt and the Arras-Cambrai road. The fire was of extreme intensity.

The enemy followed his bombardment by a strong infantry attack on a wide front northward from the vicinity of Trescault. He was completely repulsed at all points with great loss.

He was likewise driven off with heavy casualties shortly afterward when he launched a strong attack north of Moeuvres. Some German

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Should the Hun triumph, America will certainly witness such scenes as have made a nightmare of Belgium, France, Serbia, Russia, Romania and northern Italy.

It will be the sword, the torch, the stone wall and the firing squad; murder, ravishment, rapine and pillage. And in the end enslavement for all the people of the earth. Germany seeks nothing less, will be satisfied with nothing short of that.

We must support that flaming line. We must keep it so that it will continue to flame with death's messengers to the Hun until the Kaiser's hordes are annihilated, the Kaiser himself doomed.

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GIVE TO THE BELGIANS.

If you have an extra overcoat or woolen garment of any kind for man, woman or child, hanging in your closet after September 30, it will haunt you for what it might have done to clothe a needy Belgian this winter. Dig it up now, and be ready to send it to the Red Cross.

In response to a call from Herbert Hoover, head of the Commission for relief in Belgium, who says that 10,000,000 Belgians depend upon America for their winter's clothing, the American Red Cross has promised to collect 5,000 tons of used clothing. The collection will be done by Red Cross chapters September 23 to 30.

In addition to used clothing, piece goods, blankets and baby clothes are included in the call. Only garments of strong material can be accepted. Donors are reminded that it will not be necessary to mend the garments, as the repair work will give employment to thousands of destitute women in the occupied regions.

Henry P. Davidson, chairman of the War Council of the American Red Cross in his appeal for a hearty response from the American people says:

"Every household in the land has some spare clothing, worn or outgrown, of little value here, but desperately needed by the destitute there. They have been reduced to fashioning garments from flour sacks, old blankets, sheets, and tablecloths, which have now almost disappeared, and shoes from scraps of carpet and jute sacks. Today it costs eight dollars to have a pair of shoes resoled. For bedding, sacks stuffed with dry leaves or moss serve as mattresses. Everywhere the need for blankets is tremendous. Hospitals and other institutions suffer for want of sheets. In some places whole families sleep together to share a single blanket. We cannot purchase what is needed "But you can give it."

MORE GERMAN DECEIT.

The ways of the German propagandist are as subtle as they are sinister. Even the most careful newspaper editors and the most loyal of American correspondents are taken in at times. An example of the work now going on in Germany is a dispatch sent out from London under date of September 5. It is so worded that its tenor, at the outset, appeals to Americans and pleases them. A quarrel is reported between the two German Crown Princes, Frederick Wilhelm of Prussia and Rupprecht of Bavaria, on the one hand and Generals Ludendorf and Von Hindenburg on the other. The misunderstanding purports to grow out of a war conference held early in July. At that time, we are told, the two princes developed strategical conceptions quite opposite to those held by Hindenburg and Ludendorff, and the decision finally was with the generals, much to the confusion of the princes, who refused to take responsibility for the move, which, as the sequel shows, was fraught with failure.

In other words the German reverses since July 18 are due to the blundering of Ludendorff and Von Hindenburg, tried military leaders, who refused to accept the advice of the weakling, Frederick Wilhelm, and his royal cousin of Bavaria.

This is so plainly an effort to bolster the tottering dynasties of the empire that is surprising the story gets into print. But the propagandists know that newspapers are gotten out hurriedly and that there is always a chance of putting their stuff over. This accounts for their persistence.

If the American government consults the feelings of the American people there will be no letup in strafing the Hun until the allied flags fly over Berlin. And this is no figure of speech, but a literal demand, performed in a literal manner. The boys "over there" will be satisfied with nothing else and the people here who have and will pay the bills for this terrible war will never feel that full justice has been done until the Germans are made to pay the full penalty of their awful crime on humanity. And President Wilson seems to take the same view of the matter, as is evidenced by his reply to the Austrian peace note. We have no concessions to make. When the Huns feel they have had enough and are willing to surrender unconditionally, then it is time to tell them the terms of peace they must abide by. Until then it is war, the same pitiless war that they have waged on Belgium, on France, on Italy, on Serbia and many of the lesser nations.

Newspapermen who are asked by the nation to contribute freely of their columns toward furthering all sorts of war activities will feel a great deal more at ease in this matter of conservation if the government will cut off the useless waste of paper, to say nothing of the labor, in sending out hundreds of thousands of tons of political rot from Washington. It is not unusual to receive in a single day thirty or forty big envelopes containing George Creel stuff, dry figures from the department of agriculture, a half dozen speeches that were never made, but are attributed to some jim crow member of congress, and such like rot. It is of no benefit to anybody and a crying shame of wastefulness.

It has long been held in this country by many persons that the prohibition of alcoholic stimulants would lead to an increased use of opiates; and now a writer in the New York Medical Journal complains that the abolition of the opium trade in China has led to an increased use of alcohol. It's hard to please everybody.

Two little boys were digging trenches in a sand-pile when they unearthed twenty-three sticks of dynamite. And only luck prevented the dynamite from speedily unearthing the two little boys.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete Registration of Voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on Oct. 5th, 1918.

No person will be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may reigster with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 1st, 1918.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:

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Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington avenue, Richmond.
George E. Drew, 114 Washington avenue, Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissel avenue, Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott, 638 South 49th street, Richmond.
I. E. Cryan 321 6th street, Richmond.
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Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.
H. A. Hays, 2202 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
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George Valencia, San Pablo.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1917-1918

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

THIRD MONDAY IN OCTOBER

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL NEXT

at six o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY NEXT,

and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL

next thereafter, at six o'clock P. M. and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa county.

MARTIN W. JOOST,
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.

"RESURRECTION" IS GRIPPING PHOTOPLAY

Pauline Frederick was heartily welcomed by the patrons of the Richmond Theatre in her new Paramount photoplay, "Resurrection," which was shown at the playhouse yesterday and will appear again tonight. The picture is based upon the famous novel of Count Leo Tolstoi, and, like the story, it is a merciless arraignment of Russian social and political conditions that shamed Russia before the overthrow of that autocratic government.

In the portrayal of Katusha, a Russian Gypsy girl who is betrayed by a nobleman, and who later becomes a social outcast destined to banishment to Siberia, Miss Frederick appeared to exceptional advantage. The role is a strong one and affords Miss Frederick ample opportunities for the display of her versatile emotional talents. The various scenes of the picture were faithfully reproduced by the cameraman, those showing the Siberian wastes being especially effective. The support generally was of the high standard set and maintained by Paramount.

Have you noticed how self-effacing the Crown Prince has been since July 13?

BELGIAN RELIEF COMMITTEE TO MEET TOMORROW

The Committee on Belgian Relief will meet at the office of Senator James C. Owens in the Elks' building, Tenth street and Macdonald avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and all the members of the committee are requested to be present. They are formulating their campaign for securing clothing for the destitute Belgians and they are going to ask the people of Richmond to subscribe liberally.

There are 10,000 destitute Belgians who are looking to us to supply them clothing for this winter and they will not be disappointed in their appeal, for every patriotic American citizen will come forward with something to supply the imperative needs of these people.

Since the names of the personnel of the committee was published the other day three more names have been added to the list. They are Charles F. Donnelly, H. J. Hennessy and Miss Elizabeth Kinnear.

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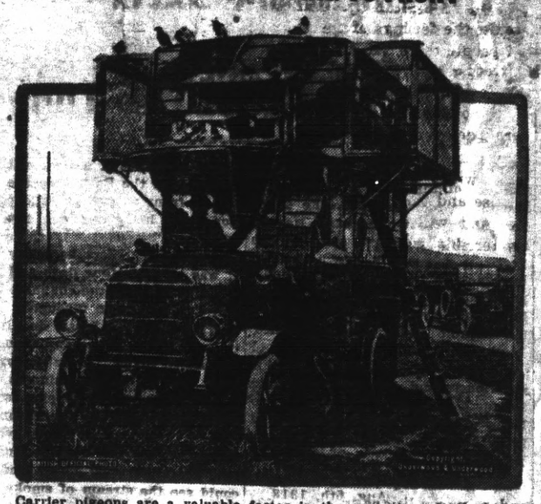

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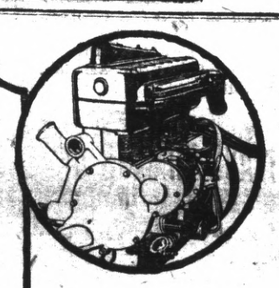

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HAIG GAINING IN BIG SMASH

(Continued from front page.)

parties that succeeded at points in entering the British trenches were entirely disposed of by counter attacks.

FRENCH MAKE GAINS.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN PICARDY ,Wednesday, September 18.—The troops of the French army under General Debeny, who pursued the Germans from the region of Montdidier, have successfully resumed their attacks in the region of St. Quentin in conjunction with the British.

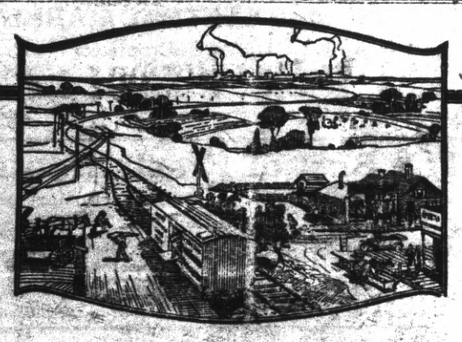
In spite of the long pursuit from Avre to the Somme with a most constant fighting since August 8, General Debeney's men are pressing the enemy with the same vigor with which they began the offensive in Picardy.

The French have advanced close to Dallon, less than two miles from the western outskirts of St. Quentin. Here they are fighting the Germans on the Hindenburg line and every inch of the ground is being disputed stoutly by the enemy. Apparently the Germans are determined to hold the plateau which lies just west of St. Quentin, south of Francilly, east of Savy and north of Dallon.

ATTACK PIECEMEAL.

General Debeney's troops have been obliged to attack it piecemeal and to advance by little bounds, slipping between machine gun emplacements here and there and sometimes making frontal attacks. Everywhere the French have been obliged to fight their way around or through obstacles that before this war would have been regarded as impregnable. The German infantry here is supported by artillery, which puts down heavy barrages in front of the advancing waves and maintains a harassing fire against the rear and the lines of communication.

Progress under these conditions necessarily is slow, but the allied lines are, none the less, surely advancing toward the outskirts of St. Quentin from the south and west, as well as the north.



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WARD CUMMINGS TELLS OF EXPERIENCES IN FRANCE

Ward H. Cummings, formerly a resident of this city, having been a machinist in the Santa Fe shops here under Master Mechanic Harlow and is well known to many of the people of this city, is now a corporal in General Pershing's American Expeditionary Forces in France and has seen a great deal of hard fighting since he landed in sunny France. In the following letter, written to his father, he tells of some of his experiences and describes with vivid clearness the fight between two Huns and an allied airplane, the latter being brought down in flames. He says:

Somewhere in France,
Aug. 5th, 1918.

Dear Dad:

Well, as they have no Father's day in America on which to write letters, will write one to you on this, your birthday, wishing you many happy returns of the day and hoping that I'll be home in time to get in on the celebration of the next one.

Well, we are back from the line again, came in last night and all of us are half sick with colds and upset stomachs. We had the roughest time since we have been in France. Lost several men, including our Lieutenant, and the boys are feeling pretty blue, but with a more grim determination on their faces that bodes no good for the Boche.

For all our losses have been quite heavy that of the Huns has been no less heavy and we are steadily pushing them back. The fighting through this sector is more or less in the open and that appeals to the Yank, and Fritz sure catches hell. I'll try to tell you a bit about the place we are in. It was a salient within a salient with the Boches on the sides and in front with very little protection from his three way fire, and what with his planes, machine guns and shrapnel it kept us pretty busy. It was only for four days and three nights but it was the roughest bit of hell I've ever gone through.

While up there I saw an air battle. I believe it was two Huns and one Allied plane. It lasted for perhaps ten or fifteen minutes with all three machines swooping, sailing and maneuvering for the advantage. Finally the Huns got one above and one below the allied plane and the one above swooped down and you could see the stream of smoke from the Boche machine gun and then the Allied plane burst into flames and came volplaning down out of control back of the Hun lines. A few cold chills ran up my spine and all of us gritted our teeth and swore vengeance. The same day I saw one Allied plane (scout) break up an observing squad of five Hun planes and made them high tail for home.

Aug. 9th, 1918.

Well, Dad, we were called again the same day I wrote the first part of this letter so will finish it up now.

We have been getting some rush calls for our outfit lately but hope that we now will be able to rest for a few days, for we are pretty well tired out.

Well I guess I'll stop for this time and write mother in a few days. There is a little change in my title now—it's Corporal now instead of private. Love to all.

Your son,
WARD H. CUMMINGS.

NEWS NOTES CONCERNING RED CROSS ACTIVITIES HERE

A regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Richmond Chapter, American Red Cross, was recently held at the Ninth Street Red Cross Room.

Warren McBryde, Mrs. W. C. Gerrish and Mrs. H. C. McCullough were among those representing the organization at Pinole and Hercules.

A. S. Lilly was appointed Chairman of the Entertainment Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. C. F. Donnelly from that office.

H. D. Chapman, Chairman of the Civilian Relief, reported that 43 families and two hospital cases are being aided by his committee.

Mrs. Anna Wills, a graduate nurse, has been appointed visiting nurse for Richmond, and will be assisted in her work by Miss Paisley of the Standard Oil Company.

C. M. Brewer, Chairman of the Membership Committee, reported 13 new members for the month of July.

Claude E. Clarke, Chairman of the Second War Fund Drive, collected $9,134.07 during August, but reports that some of the subscribers to the fund are behind on their payments. This should not be, and all who signed pledges are urged to make their payments promptly, as delay in the matter increases the work of the committee and causes needless expense.

Mrs. E. B. Smallwood, Chairman of Chapter Production, reports the Richmond Chapter and all auxiliaries busy selling out the quota which must be ready about October 1st. Practically all work turned in now is of the first class order. Some wonderful work is being done by the knitters, and there is an increasing enthusiasm and willingness on the part of all the workers.

Mrs. E. B. Anderson, Chairman of the Salvage Committee has moved her Salvage Shop from Washington Avenue to Macdonald avenue near Fourth street.

On Wednesday Mrs. Anderson went to Oakland to attend the Red Cross Salvage and Shop institute held at Hotel Oakland under the direction of the Pacific Division of the Bureau of Salvage and Shop.

Mrs. Anderson took with her an automobile load of her helpers and they returned with renewed enthusiasm for the work and with many new plans for improving the local shop

MEN TRAINED IN MARINE CONSTRUCTION AT FLEET YARDS OF SHIPBUILDING CORPORATION

BAY POINT SHIPYARD, September 19.—Ten thousand green men, many of whom had never seen a ship, have been turned into capable shipbuilders by the Education and Training Section of the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation, which has just established a class for instructors at the Suisun Bay Plant of the Pacific Coast Shipbuilding Company.

Announcement of the scope of the section's work has just come from the east. More than a score of training departments have been conducted since the beginning of the work.

The class in the Bay Point yard is for the training of men who are to impart their skill to others in turn. Instruction of groups in the yard is a part of the six weeks' course, which is conducted by N. D. Cook, director of training. The arrangements for the course were made by E. B. Sherwood, district representative of the training section.

The men in the class are picked not only for special qualifications and aptitude, but with a view to securing instructors capable of efficiently imparting their technical knowledge to new workers and of assisting men of some experience to advance to positions of greater skill. Five years' experience in his trade is one of the government's requirements for a man enrolling for training as an instructor.

This is part of the nation's vast task of building up a force of skilled men capable of building the "bridge of ships" on a speed-up program.

Enrolled in the class at the Pacific Coast Shipbuilding Company's yard are Everett L. Crawford, Earl Gradiner, Frank J. Indergand, Jess L. Kenney, George L. McMillan, Andrew L. Morri and Louis J. Sleeper.

HUN DIVER FIRES ON RELIEF SHIP

COPENHAGEN, Thursday, September 19.—The Norwegian steamship Bjornstjerne-Bjornsen, in the service of the Belgian Relief Commission, has arrived at a Norwegian port for repairs, having been fired on by a German submarine. The steamer was attacked outside the war zone.

BARGEMAN LOSES LIFE WHEN HIS CRAFT CAPSIZES

Coroner Bert Curry returned this forenoon from Antioch where he was called last night to take charge of the body of Frank Cornelius McGinley, drowned yesterday when a barge turned turtle after running against a submerged snag in the stream. McGinley, along with several others was a freight handler on the barge, but all the others managed to save themselves when the craft capsized, throwing men and a large cargo of onions into the river.

The body of the drowned man was recovered and will be held by Coroner Curry pending advices from the man's relatives residing at 1104 Harrison street, San Francisco. McGinley was 36 years of age and registered for the draft in San Francisco on September 12th. An inquest will be held.

WHIST PARTY AT SAN PABLO ON THURSDAY

In all the rush of war work, don't let us forget the big whist party which is to be given a week from this evening at St. Paul's hall, San Pablo, by the ladies of St. Paul's Catholic church in that place. This party promises to eclipse all former parties given by the ladies of this popular parish—and that is saying a good deal, for they are noted for their hospitality and their method of handling affairs of this character so that everybody feels right at home.

In addition to the card games there will be some sort of a program, with music and plenty of dancing for the young folks. Save that date so that you can be on hand when the evening of the 26th of September arrives.

MAN CONVICTED FOR SHOOTING DOG KILLER

SAN RAFAEL, September 19.—John Haller, itinerant saw filer, will appear for sentence tomorrow before Judge E. T. Zook following his conviction yesterday by a jury on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. Haller shot and seriously wounded James Patrick Green, accused by Haller of killing the latter's dog. The shooting occurred at Nicasio.

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WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE LORRAINE FRONT, Wednesday, September 18.—Fear lest the Americans would advance and overwhelm them, bitter complaint at bad food and general despondency at the prospects of the war are the keynote of letters written home by German soldiers and found when they were captured.

A certain American division which took more than its quota of prisoners has made an exhaustive examination of these letters and found that the morale, even of the men in the Tenth German Regiment—conceded to be the best opposing the Americans—is decidedly low, if it can be judged from private letters never intended for American consumption.

MADE THREATS OF DEATH, IS CHARGED

MARTINEZ, September 19.—Frederick L. Scheckler, well known rancher of Jersey Island, who was some time ago charged with insanity but released temporarily when he demanded a jury trial to determine his sanity, was arrested Tuesday on complaint of his son in law, charged with making threats against life. Scheckler was taken before Justice Boyer and released on his own recognizance pending preliminary hearing later in the week.

CONTRA COSTA MAN IS SEEKING PAROLE

MARTINEZ, September 19.—Geo. Barnovitch, convicted in Martinez in 1909 with his cousins, George and Lawrence Maracich, of the dynamiting of the home of Uno Hartman, assistant superintendent at that time of the C. & H. refinery on February 5th, is seeking parole from Folsom where he is serving a life term for the dynamiting outrage. Barnovich was sentenced to life imprisonment on April 29, 1909, but pending the appeal of his case he was held in jail here for several years.

George Maracich got 50 years and his brother, Lawrence, 20 years for the same offense. It is probable that Barnovich's plea for parole will be opposed by authorities here.

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